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SUBJ: SYMINGTON SUBCOMMITTEE HEARINGS

REF: ADDIS 1208, 1294

1. DEPARTMENT HAS BEEN NOTIFIED SYMINGTON SUBCOMMITTEE ON "US COMMITMENTS ABROAD" EXPECTING TO HOLD HEARINGS ON ETHIOPIA JUNE 1. IT EXPECTED ASSISTANT SECRETARY NEWSOM AND DOD REPRESENTATIVE WILL TESTIFY.
2. SUBCOMMITTEE STAFF MEMBER WALTER PINCUS, AS INDICATED REFTEL, HAS IN INTERIM REQUESTED COPY OF "HERTER AGREEMENT." AFTER EXTENSIVE CONSULTATION WITH INTERESTED OFFICES AND AGENCIES, TEXT OF ADDIS'S AIRGRAM G-29 OF SEPT. 2, 1960, WAS SHOWN TO SUBCOMMITTEE STAFF, SINCE IT IS STATEMENT OF USG RESPONSE TO IEG REQUESTS FOR ASSISTANCE LOOSELY REFERRED TO AS "HERTER AGREEMENT".

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3. DEPT DESIRES ANY FURTHER INFORMATION WHICH EMBASSY BELIEVES MAY BE HELPFUL IN PREPARING FOR HEARINGS, THRUST OF WHICH PROBABLY WILL BE ALONG LINES QUESTIONS POSED BY PINCUS AND PAUL DURING VISIT.
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